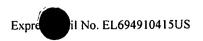


## **REMARKS**

The foregoing Amendment eliminates multiple dependent claims.

Accordingly, the Amendment places the application in better condition prior to examination and adds no new matter.



## Version With Markings to Show Changes Made

## Amendments in the Claims:

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.121(c), the following versions of the claims as rewritten by the foregoing amendment show all the changes made relative to the previous versions of the claims.

- 3. (amended) Procedure, according to [Claims 1 or 2] claim 2, is characterized by the base station control (3), as well as the mobile switching center (5), that determines the end device type (s) (1) by query of the mobile equipment identification and assigns to the appropriate end device type corresponding predetermined parameters, which serve to adjust the tone control.
- 4. (amended) Procedure according to [one of the Claims 1-3] claim 3, is characterized by the parameters that are stored for all marketable mobile radio device and equipment (1) in a data storage (6) (memory) and can be recalled when needed.
- 5. (amended) Procedure, according to [one of the Claims 1-4] claim 4, is characterized by the fact that stored parameters of the tone control (7) of the corresponding audio path are configured based on the type of end device (1).
- 6. (amended) Procedure, according to [one of the Claims 1-5] claim 5, is characterized by the parameters that are transferred by one of the mobile switching centers (5) or another network component supplied control signal (8) to the tone control (7).
- 7. (amended) Procedure, according to [one of the Claims 1 6] claim 6, is characterized by the tone control (7) that is switched into the audio path (10) in the area of the mobile switching center (5) or the base station control (3).
- 8. (amended) Procedure, according to [one of the Claims 1 6] claim 6, is characterized by the tone control (7) that is switched into the audio path (10) in the area of the code conversion equipment (Transcoder/Rate Adaption Unit) (4).

- 9. (amended) Procedure, according to [one of the Claims 1 8] claim 8, is characterized by the tone control that is adjusted dependent upon the users' individual features.
- 10. (amended) Equipment to complete the procedure, according to [the Claims 1 9] <u>claim 9</u>, is characterized by a tone control (7) that is switched into by one of the corresponding audio paths in a communication connection.
- 13. (amended) Equipment, according to [one of the Claims 10 12] claim 10, is characterized by the tone control (7) that is part of the code conversion equipment (Transcoder/Rate Adaption Unit) (4).
- 14. (amended) Equipment, according to [one of the Claims 10 12] claim 10, is characterized by the tone control (7) that is connected or switched before or after the code conversion device (Transcoder/Rate Adaption Unit) (4).
- 15. (amended) Equipment, according to [one of the Claims 10 14] claim 10, is characterized by the tone control (7) that includes a multiplicity of tone control units, which correspond in each case to an audio path (10).

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